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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

The following Preliminary Amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Before line 1, insert - This application is the national phase under 35 U.S.C. §371 of PCT International Application No. PCT/DK97/00467 which has an International filing date of October 23, 1997 which designated the United States of America.--

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The specification has been amended to provide a cross-reference to the previously filed International Application.